

PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

No. 41-193
 REPRODUCED FROM THE
HOLDINGS OF THE
TEXAS STATE ARCHIVES

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

I am vetoing and filing with the Secretary of State Senate Bill No. 268, passed by the recently adjourned Regular Session of the Forty-ninth Legislature.

Senate Bill No. 268 makes an appropriation of \$55,000.00 out of the general fund of the State to pay the County and Independent School District taxes on State Prison Farm lands located in several counties mentioned in the bill, for the years 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, and taxes to become due for the years 1945 and 1946.

This bill conflicts with Sub-division 4 of Article 7150, Revised Statutes, both in the original Article and as amended by the 48th Legislature, page 472, chapter 316. It is there provided: "and said county taxes shall be paid annually out of the revenue derived from such State farms respectively by the officer having the management thereof, and same shall be charged to the expense account of operating such farm. No debt shall be created against the general revenue of the State in case of the failure to pay said taxes out of the revenue of any such farm."

Senate Bill No. 268 does not attempt to amend the law but only makes an appropriation in conflict with the Statute.

Senate Bill No. 268 reached my office less than ten days before the end of the Regular Session of the Forty-ninth Legislature. In accordance with the Constitution, it is being filed with the Secretary of State together with this proclamation containing my objections to the bill.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of State to be affixed here at Austin, this the twenty-fifth day of June, A. D., 1945.

George R. Stevenson
GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Claude L. Bell
SECRETARY OF STATE